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In re Patent Application of

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Serial No. 10/622,834

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GREY GLASS COMPOSTERO

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Date: June 28, 2005

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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Official Action dated March 28, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: